



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



January 2000

Location	Date	Time Local/ Standard	Path Length (Miles)	Path Width (Yards)	Number of Persons Killed	Number of Persons Injured	Estimated Damage Property	Estimated Damage Crops	Character of Storm
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MINNESOTA, Central and South Central

MNZ047>049-051- Stevens - Pope - Stearns - Sherburne - Swift - Chippewa - Kandiyohi - Meeker - Wright - Hennepin - Anoka - Ramsey -
055>063-066-068>070-078 Washington - Mcleod - Carver - Scott - Dakota - Goodhue
12 0530CST 0 0 Heavy Snow
2345CST

A swath of heavy snow fell across a good chunk of southern Minnesota, and generally ranged between 6 and 12 inches. Some snow totals of note include: Six inches at Andover, New Hope, Lino Lakes. Seven inches at Plymouth, Cokato, New London, River Falls, Ellsworth and Fridley. Eight inches at Litchfield, Red Wing, Glencoe, St Paul. Nine inches were reported at Minneapolis International Airport, Hastings, Richfield, Mound and Cottage Grove. Ten inches were observed at Hutchinson, Willmar, and Benson. The greatest accumulation of snow (12 inches), occurred over Savage, Bloomington, Burnsville, and at the National Weather Service office in Chanhassen. The Minnesota Highway Patrol responded to more than 325 crashes in the Twin Cities alone, many of them spinouts, but said the crashes were minor with no serious injuries.

MNZ054>070-073>078- Lac Qui Parle - Swift - Chippewa - Kandiyohi - Meeker - Wright - Hennepin - Anoka - Ramsey - Washington - Yellow
082>085-091>093 Medicine - Renville - Mcleod - Sibley - Carver - Scott - Dakota - Redwood - Brown - Nicollet - Le Sueur - Rice - Goodhue -
19 0530CST 0 0 Heavy Snow
1600CST
Watsonwan - Blue Earth - Waseca - Steele - Martin - Faribault - Freeborn

Another heavy snow event occurred across a wide swath of Minnesota's southern third, with a range of accumulations generally between 6 and 9 inches. Some notable snow totals are as follows: Six inches reported in Golden Valley, Mankato, Springfield, Waconia. A seven inch tall was collected in Eden Valley, Edina, Fairmont, and Vesta. Eight inches of snow were observed in both Redwood Falls and at the Twin Cities International Airport. The largest accumulation of snow cover was reported in south central Minnesota, where almost 9 inches fell. Many businesses and schools across the southern third of the state were closed, in response to the storm.

WISCONSIN, West

WIZ023>028 St. Croix - Pierce - Dunn - Pepin - Chippewa - Eau Claire
12 1000CST 0 0 Heavy Snow
13 0500CST

A band of heavy snow fell across much of West Central Wisconsin, and generally ranged between 6 and 10 inches. Some snow totals of note include: Six inches at Stanley and Bloomer. Seven inches at Chippewa Falls, Spring Valley and Eau Claire. Far and away the largest reported accumulation of snow (10 inches) occurred at both Fairchild and Durand, in the counties of Eau Claire and Pepin respectively.